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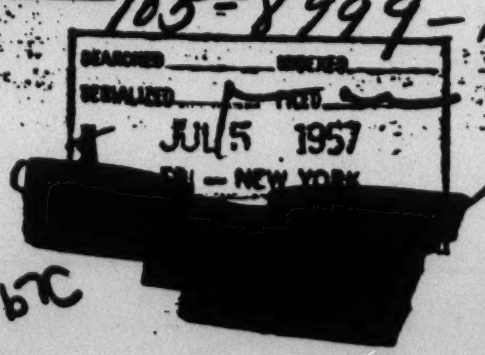

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NATION OF ISLAM
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SAC (100-6989) June 11, 1957

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ELIJAH MUHAMMAD
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On 6/4/57, at 11:50 a.m. in connection with another matter the writer observed ELIJAH MUHAMMAD leave his residence at 4847 S. Woodlawn Ave. CC, in a car owned and driven by [redacted] Two other unknown individuals were observed to be in this car. This vehicle was also followed by another vehicle with two unknown individuals. These cars proceeded North on Woodlawn to 47th where they turned west on 47th to Cottage Grove and west on Cottage Grove to Evans. They then proceeded south on Evans to 49th and east on 49th to Cottage Grove where both cars were parked. The writer observed [redacted] and MUHAMMAD to leave [redacted]'s car and also observed the other two individuals in this car to be MALCOLM LITTLE, Minister, Temple No. 7, New York and [redacted]

The two unknown persons alighted from the second car where one of these persons was observed to be [redacted] All of the above persons were then joined by another individual who was unknown but was standing on the corner of 49th and Cottage Grove as if awaiting for their arrival.

Inasmuch as 49th is a one way street east and there were no parking spaces readily available

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the writer had to proceed past these persons and circle the block, however, by the time the writer was on 49th and Cottage again, all of the persons previously identified and their automobiles had disappeared.

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The above is being submitted to Detroit and New York for information purposes.

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TO : SAC, BALTIMORE (100-16471) DATE: 6/14/57

FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809)

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God's 'Angry Men'

Mr. Malcolm X, minister of the Islam Temple in New York has been asked to explain the Moslem faith and the teaching of Elijah Muhammad. The opinions expressed here are those of Mr. X and not necessarily those of the Amsterdam News.

By MR. MALCOLM X.

ISLAM, the natural religion of dark mankind, is sweeping through Black America like a "flaming fire," under the Divine Guidance of Messenger Elijah Muhammad.

Fools try to ignore facts, but wise men must face facts to remain wise.

Fools refuse to change from their silly ways and beliefs, but the mental flexibility of the wise man permits him to keep an open mind, and enables him to re-adjust himself whenever it becomes necessary for a change.

As fast as added "light" increases the wise man's ability to understand, he then re-sets his "course" and his "pace" according to the newly revealed facts before him.

Fools just blunder on, blindly, heedless of the everchanging "conditions" of the "road" over which they must travel . . .thus, the blind drivers and their "cars" usually end up in the ditch.

In the past, the "religious roads" leading through Black America presented smooth sailing for the old touring cars (churches) of Christianity.

They met few obstacles and had little opposition or competition. The "drivers" (preachers) had it easy. Their "course" was never challenged. They ruled supreme on the religious roads of Black America.

Changing Today

However, today, time is producing a great change. The religious roads of Black America have suddenly become filled with a rocky barrier, and all the black and white preachers combined seem incapable of removing it.

The firm, down-to-earth, thought provoking, teachings of the religion of ISLAM is now obstructing this path over which was once easy sailing for these preachers of white man's Christianity.

Islam poses a challenge and a threat. Thousands of so-called Negroes are beginning for the first time to think for themselves, and are turning daily, away from the segregated Christian Church, and rejoining the ranks of our darker brothers and sisters of the [illegible] whose ancestral faith is [illegible]

old religion of Islam, the true religion of dark mankind, the true religion of our foreparents.

The spiritual leader and teacher of the many thousands of "new converts" here in Black America is Messenger Elijah Muhammad, one of the most feared and revered men in the Western Hemisphere.

Islam Defined

In order to form a just appreciation of the religion that is being taught by Messenger Elijah Muhammad, it is necessary to understand the true significance of the Arabic word "Islam" . . . Salaam (salama) in its primary sense, means to be tranquil, at rest, to have done one's duty, to have paid up, to be at perfect peace; in its secondary sense it means, peace, to surrender oneself to Him (the Supreme Being, Allah) with whom peace is made.

The noun (Salaam) which is derived from it, means peace, greeting, salvation, safety, submission to righteousness.

The ARABIC word Muslim (Moslem) means, one who is submissive, obedient and at peace with Almighty God ALLAH . . . one who is striving (on earth) after righteousness (on earth).

Before we heard the teachings of Messenger Muhammad, we American so-called Negroes were in the grave of ignorance. We had been taught by our Christian slavemaster, as well as by our own ignorant religious leaders, that God had cursed us black and sentenced us to a lifetime on earth of servitude to the Christian white race.

Promises Hit

The same slavemaster's Christian religion taught us (or promised us) that we so-called Negroes would sprout wings after death and fly up into the sky where God would have a place especially prepared for us.

Since we poor "cursed" slaves were not to get anything on earth while we were alive, we soon learned to expect it only after death, "up in the sky."

Therefore, this earth and all its vast riches, which we [illegible] originally owned, was left

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to the deceitful maneuverings of the white race, for them to build a heaven for themselves on earth while they yet live.

Such religious teachings were designed to make us feel infe to the white Christian slaver ter, and soon he was successf making us fear him, obey him, worship him, instead of the Supreme Being, the God of own foreparents, Almighty A Messenger Muhammad taught us how we so-called gross eventually became like beggar, Lazarus, of the B (Luke 16:20): our conditions came sickening (very sore).

We sat here amid the rubbis the Western World, at the (or gate) of the rich white C tians, begging for something (rights) to fall from their tal

But from this same slaverna whom our foreparents had m rich (by giving him freely of t slave labor for nearly 400 y . . . Gen. 15:13), we rece only the hardest and dirtiest at the lowest wages, the poo houses in the slum areas at highest rent, the poorest food clothing at the highest prices

Our schools were like sha and were staffed by teachers knew and could teach only w the slavemaster dictated to th

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GOD'S ANGRY MEN

By Malcolm Shabazz

"ISLAM DIGNIFIES THE BLACK MEN"

Why is it so important that the religion of Islam be taught today to the so called Negroes of America by MESSENGER ELIJAH MUHAMMAD? FIRST....and most important of all, Islam is the religion of our people by nature. It is not a religion of European origin, nor is it one that was organized by the white man. It is the religion of the Supreme Being, Almighty God, ALLAH.

SECOND....Islam is the original, and only religion of Almighty God ALLAH, and his prophets. It is the only religion that will save the lives of our people [the so-called Negroes of America], and give us Divine Protection against our enemies.

THIRD....Islam dignifies the Black Man. It gives us the desire and the strenght to be clean internally and externally, and for the first time to have a sense of dignity.

FOURTH....Islam removes fear, and makes FEARLESS. It educates us into the knowledge of God and of the devil which is very necessary for our people to know.

FIFTH....Islam makes us know one another and love one another as never before.

SIXTH....Islam removes the veil of Falsehood and destroys superstition. It heals us, both physically and spiritually, by teaching us what to eat, when to eat, what to think, and how to act.

SEVENTH....Islam is the only religion that has the Divine Power to unite us (so-called Negroes), and save us from the destruction of the War of Armageddon, which is even now upon us. It is the only religion in which the Believer is Divinely Protected. It is the only religion that will survive the "Great Holy War", or the "Final War" between Almighty God ALLAH and the devils (the white race.).

Islam will put the Black man of America on top of civilization. So, why not Islam? Some people ask; why so much religion?" It is necessary today for MESSENGER ELIJAH MUHAMMAD to teach that which is the ONLY KEY to the HEREAFTER for the so-called Negroes of America. After this Final War between right and wrong (Blacks and whites), the lucky ones (so-called Negroes) will be in the Government of Righteousness (Kingdom of Heaven) which shall be established upon this earth by Almighty ALLAH Therefore, without the knowledge of it, we can not qualify to live in it.

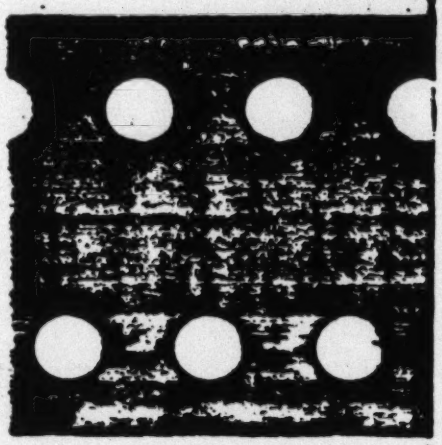
Islam does not make heaven and hell two places (up in the sky and in the earth), but two conditions of life. This is very easy to understand, for there could never be either heaven or hell unless it was brought about by our own efforts or making. The earth is our home, and we can make it a heaven or hell for ourselves. If we follow and obey Almight ALLAH and His prophets, we make it a heaven and if we follow and obey the devil (the white race) and his prophets (preachers of false religion) we make it a hell.

Islam brings about peace of mind and contentment to the believer, and for the first time gives us love for our own Black Brother and Sister. In Islam we truly love for our Brother that which we love for ourselves

This alone is salvation for us...just learning to love each other as Brothers and Sisters. Islam, unlike Christianity, is doing this among the followers of MESSENGER ELIJAH MUHAMMAD right here in your midst.

Regardless to how long or how hard you try to be a good Christian you never have a sincere love for your own Black Brother and Sister, as you should Islam will give you true brothers and sisters the world over, and this is what you need.

A person who suffer all sorts of injustice at the hands of the so-called Negroes of America need to learn Islam. Islam is ALLAH'S holy religion, and is what our people need.



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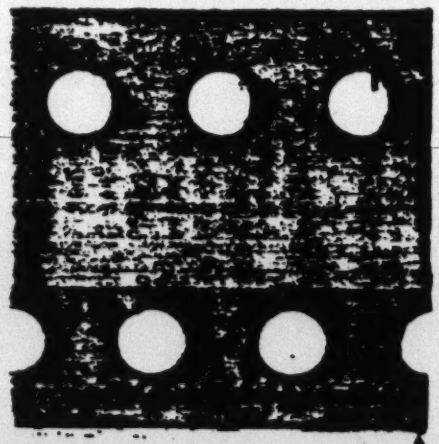

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809) DATE: 5/21/57

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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (105-2604)

DATE: 5/21/

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C

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Referenced letter reflected information concerning the arrest in New York City of two Muslims by the New York City Police Department who were arrested for interfering with the arrest of a police officer.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (62-330971)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809)
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It will be noted that all NYC newspapers on 6/3/57 carried stories reflecting that while giving a sermon at the Abyssinian Baptist Church on 6/2/57, POWELL was stricken and was rushed to a NYC hospital, where his condition is reported to be not serious.

b7D [redacted] not know the reason for the visit by NOI members to the Abyssinian Church, but is

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of the opinion, that the NOI was invited by FOWELL and went to impress members of the Abyssinian Church and develope interest in the NOI among those members.

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The above is being furnished for the Bureau's information, and any significant developments be furnished to the Bureau immediately.

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b7D [redacted] was present at meetings on the dates indicated and furnished information as set forth below.

4-29-57 At 8:00 PM an UNKNOWN gave a brief talk, telling the group every Monday night the Muslims march, they are the fruit of Islam. This person then conducted a military type drill, using such commands as "Attention"; "Right Face"; "Left face" etc. Another UNKNOWN was present with the drill instructor, this individual possibly being [redacted] inasmuch as drill instructor directed group to "look at [redacted] This second UNKNOWN spoke of mistreatment of a negro in New York, and that Brother MALCOLM went to see him, they took him to a hospital and hundreds of Muslims came to see him. In order to keep peace they let Brother MALCOLM in to see him, surrounded by policemen. Apparently six to eight policemen had jumped on this man, believed to be [redacted] and beat him with sticks. Speaker said the Muslims from many cities went there and Brother MALCOLM had a hard job to keep the peace because the Muslims were ready to fight. Speaker said the foolishness is over, the devil is not playing with you and me, so be ready, but don't run out and antagonize the devils now, or be stupid on the job. Each Muslim must keep the other Muslim in line but they must unite for strength. If one goes into battle all go to battle, that's why we Muslims are strong. Said if we get a call, every Muslim who has a car should be available. Speaker asks if the group thinks justice, freedom, come easy, indicates a Muslim should be willing to shed blood for what he believes in. Speaker talks of need for more money from the Muslims and said they raised a thousand dollars very quickly in New York to get two brothers out on bail. Said the more they get on the job the sooner they will get out of hell. Speaker said hell is about ready to break loose when you see the Messenger writing the way he is writing, urges group to hold fast and follow instructions and do as those who are in authority ask them to do. The FBI was mentioned, but confidential informant unable to furnish the thought connected with this. Speaker urged need for more Muslims, want 50 or more, it would be easier to do their work and raise funds. Donations to be made each week to the Temple fund and to Allah. [redacted] was mentioned as having a program. Confidential Informant believes there was mention of the face that if they could get a minimum of $70 per brother they could get out of present temple and have their own but apparently there is little money and the Temple hasn't got any money.

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5-1-57. Speaker discuss the meaning of Allah and what it stands for, that we do not know where we come from or what our language is. Speaker said that Islam means peace. [redacted] saying that Islam will give you Freedom, Justice and Equality which in Arabic means peace, that you should stick with your own just as red ants goes with red ants. [redacted] said that the Elijah Mohamed paid to worry about today, get what you can today, that we live in a greasy neighbor and in greasy clothes. You can go to any part of the world and you won't find anyone in such a worse condition as the Negro people, the white man is the devil. Elijah Mohamed said don't be a negro be yourself, if this man (white man) beat you protect yourself and stand up to him. Business meeting taking place, Speaker said we should get as much money as we can to send to Elijah Mohammed, the more we can get for him the stronger we get and we will be able to get rid of the white man. Every Muslim should give $15.00 and we should get him the best car even a cadillac is not good enough for him for what he has done for us and one of our Brothers was seriously injured in New York and he went pleading to the policeman not to beat him, we should drop him a line when we go home, he should be swarm with mail from the believers in Boston, his name was in the papers it is [redacted] Our brothers in New Jersey and Conn. and other places were going to close down the temples and swarm into New York to protect him,so don't forget to drop him a line.

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-8999) DATE: 1/8/47

FROM : SA [redacted] b7C

SUBJECT: MALCOLM LITTLE, was
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a source of information has stated that LITTLE has been associated with the instant organization since approximately 1947, and is Minister of the NYC Temple.

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TO : SAC, NEW YORK [redacted] 67D

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C

DATE: 5/8/57

SUBJECT: [redacted] 67D

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TO: SAC (25-20607)

FROM: SA [redacted] b7C 5/6/57

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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2 - New York (105-7809) (NOI)(REGISTERED MAIL)
(1 - 100- MALCOLM LITTLE)
11 - Chicago
(1 - 25-20607 (NOI)
(1 [redacted]
(1 - 100-6989 ELIJAH MUHAMMAD)
(1 [redacted]

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FROM: SAC, DETROIT (100-5[illegible]) CONFIDENTIAL

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1 - Detroit

APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND FIELD OFFICES ACTING

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, DETROIT (100-5549) DATE: 5/6/57

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (25-20607)

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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67D [redacted] advised on April 9, 1957, that on that
date [redacted] advised MUHAMMAD that he had been to Philadelphia and New York. [redacted] indicated that "things" had
67C been straightened out and stated, "we worked out a commission basis" and that "he" is also giving him traveling money and is free to travel with Brother MALCOLM.

MUHAMMAD replied that he had heard from Brother MALCOLM who informed him of the situation. [redacted]

67C [redacted] stated that he believes that during the month of March many luke warm followers were brought around. MUHAMMAD stated that he had received a letter from Brother MALCOLM which was very encouraging and contained a lot of spirit.

3-Detroit (RM)
67C 1 [redacted]

2-Philadelphia (RM)
67C 1 [redacted]
1-25-26094

2-Pittsburgh (100-5545)(RM)
2-New York City (RM)
1-100-105-7809
1-100- (MALCOLM X)
2-Chicago
1-100-6989 (ELIJAH MUHAMMAD)
67C [redacted] cjz (11)

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SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809) 5/2/57

b7C SA [redacted] (#1)

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On 2/24,25,24, agents of the Chicago Division observed automobiles bearing the following NY License numbers parked in the vicinity of the Nation of Islam Headquarters during the annual NOI Convention held in Chicago during February, 1957.

[redacted] Bureau of Motor Vehicles, NY, advised SA [redacted] on 4/18/57, that these plates are issued to the individuals whose name is listed beside the number:

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NY 105-7809

5U 8525

Reverend MALCOLM X. LITTLE
c/o Temple of Islam
25-35 Humphrey Street
Elmhurst, LIS
1956 ChevroletSedan

6K 1088

Transport Vehicle Inc.
635 6th Avenue
NY 11, NY
1957 Chevrolet (4 door)

6L 3461

[redacted]

7U 7400

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KK 973

6K 2729

KM 8338

KQ 5423

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It will be noted that NY has no prior information on [redacted] These names are being indexed and in the event additional information is developed which reflects that they may be acting in an official capacity in the WFO case files will be opened on them.

SAC, CHICAGO (25-20607) May 1, 1957

SA [redacted] b7C

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2 - Mobile (105-55) (RM)
(2) New York (RM)
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MALCOLM LITTLE

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RE: [redacted] b7C

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b7D [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on April 12, 1957, that on that date, an unknown male contacted MALCOLM X at the residence of ELIJAH MUHAMMAD, 4847 South Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago. This individual told MALCOLM X that he desired to speak to MUHAMMAD, to which MALCOLM X replied "we are too busy.

Chicago believes that MALCOLM X is probably identical with MALCOLM LITTLE, Minister of Temple Number 7, New York City.

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2 - Cleveland (MM)
(1 - 100-21569)
(1 - [redacted])
2 - Detroit (MM)
(1 - 100-5519)
(1 - [redacted])
3 - Chicago
(1 - 100-6989 ELIJAH MUHAMMAD)
(1 - [redacted])
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SAC, Philadelphia (25-26094)

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On Paragraph two is an article headed "What is Islam" and has a picture of MALCOM X (LITTLE) and a story of Muhammad's Temple of Islam #7, New York City. Philadelphia will obtain a copy of this and forwarded it to the New York Office.

(2) - New York (105-7809) ICC 105-8999
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TO : SAC, LOS ANGELES (105-2604) DATE: 4/15/57

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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MALCOLM LITTLE)
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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-8999) DATE: May 6, 1957

FROM : SAC, DETROIT (100-21719)

SUBJECT: MALCOLM LITTLE, was.
SM - NOI

Re New York airtel to Philadelphia, dated March 20, 1957.

b7D [redacted] Informants positively identified the photograph of LITTLE as the individual known to them as MALCOLM X.

(2) - New York
1 - Detroit

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Office Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-8999) DATE: 5/3/57

FROM : SAC, WFO (100-32805)

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SUBJECT: MALCOLM LITTLE, was.
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Mr. X Tells What Islan Means

(See Photo on Page 28)

"Please don't call me 'Reverend'!"

"Those who sought such a title and now wear it, have made it become one of scorn and ridicule—by not living up to what it implies.

". . . Islam has made me so confused with this 'new life,' and has kept me so busy trying to spread it to our people, that I haven't had time to stop and get married — in fact, I feel as if I'm already 'married' to Messenger Muhammad's Work," explains Mr. Malcolm X, minister of Muhammad's Temple of Islam, No. 7, located at 102 West 116th St., New York City.

He is 6' 3" tall, scholarly and 31 year of age.

"Before hearing of him (Mr. Elijah Muhammad, Messenger of Allah to the lost-found nation of Islam in North America) I had nothing, knew nothing, and was nothing," said Mr. X.

"I was addicted too and enslaved by all the evils and vices of this white civilization — dope, alcohol, adultery, thievery, and even murder," he went on.

"I was a typical 'Christian Negro' . . . buried up to my neck in the mud of this filthy world; with very little hope, desire or intention of amounting to anything."

20 Temples

Mr. X speaks of "the fastest growing Moslem religious body in North America."

Mr. Elijah Muhammad, leader and spiritual head of several thousand Moslems in the United States (all of whom are said to be of African decent and converts from Christianity) founded the first Temple of Islam, July 4th, 1930, in Detroit.

Twenty-seven years later, there are over twenty such temples in this country. They are in New York, Michigan, Illinois, New Jersey, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, Georgia, Ohio and the District of Columbia.

The movement has no special name.

Born in the cotton fields of Georgia, Wallace D. Fard (his followers consider him God in Person) journeyed to Mecca, Arabia. Muslims feel this to be the only holy spot on this planet.

He began to sign his name "W. D. Fard." Three years later, 1933, he signed his name "W. F. Mu[illegible]" standing for Wallace

Says he, "This is no time to think of anyone other than our ownselves.

Founded only a few years ago, the University of Islam, 5333 S. Greenwood Ave., Chicago, Ill., has an enrollment of more than 200 students.

It is considered by followers of Mr. Muhammad, its founder, to be an outstanding example of his accomplishments in the educational problems of his people.

Mr. Elijah Muhammad and his followers delve into American history for the basis of their interpretation of the Moslem faith.

"Negro Churches," according to the thinking of Muhammad and his followers, were continually torn by petty arguments and jealousies of small leaders seeking personal power. "New denominations" were constantly appearing they charge. Religious factions kept "Negro christians" confused and divided they say.

Slavemasters

"We had no knowledge of anything other than what the slavemaster taught us," explains New York's Mr. Malcolm X. ". . . We hated what he had been taught we were. We fought among ourselves on the slightest provocation, filling hospital and cemeteries with our own kind."

"At the very same time," Mr. X. continued, "our own religious leaders were teaching us to love, be patient, understanding and forgiving (turn-the-other-cheek) to the Slavemasters."

"We were kind to our enemy, but viciously impatient and cruel toward ourselves," he said.

A solution to this historical legacy is suggested.

Their Solution

The Moslem sect believes that Almighty God, (ALLAH) has appeared among them and selected a reformer. He is said to be the Honorable Elijah Muhammad, this Messenger.

Followers believe that his message shows how "Christianity, offered by the slavemasters," has failed to give freedom, justice and equality.

Integration is frowned upon.

"Today, according to Mr. X. . . ." we are living in a time of great separation between white and blacks. The prophesied 400 years of slavery ended in 1955."

"It is time for Negroes to return to their own. Nothing else will solve the problem."

Mr. Elijah Muhammad and his teachings according to his students and followers, represent the solution.

MUHAMMAD LEADER—Elijah Muhammad, spiritual leader of the highly controversial Muhammad faith in the United States. He lives in Chicago.

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (25-20607) DATE: 3-8-57

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM, aka.
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809) DATE: 3-7-57

FROM SAC, CHICAGO (25-20607)

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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b7D [redacted] who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised on February 20, 1957, that on that date Brother MALCOLM of New York City advised ELIJAH b7C MUHAMMAD that he and [redacted] one Sister Captain and two Sister Lieutenants had just arrived in Chicago. MUHAMMAD invited all of them to come over to his residence for coffee.

The Chicago Office believes that Brother MALCOLM, mentioned above, is probably identical with MALCOLM LITTLE, Minister of Temple No. 7, New York, and [redacted] may be identical with [redacted]

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male was advised that the people were at that time attending the services and that there was no way of reaching him.

It is to be noted that the National Convention of the Nation of Islam was held at the Tabernacle Baptist Church, 4130 South Indiana Avenue, Chicago, from February 24-26, 1957.

The above is being submitted for the information of New York, Baltimore, and Detroit Offices.

OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, NEW YORK [redacted]

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C,D

SUBJECT: [redacted]

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TO : SAC (25-26094) DATE: 4/10/57

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FROM : SA [redacted]

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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TO : SAC (25-26094)

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C

DATE: 4/8/57

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To : SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809) DATE: 4/10/57

From : SA [redacted] (# 1) 67C

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On 4/2/57, a pretext inquiry was made by SAS [redacted] and [redacted] at the Temple #7 Luncheonette, 200 Lenox Ave., NYC, in an attempt to ascertain the whereabouts of [redacted] The inquiry was negative but the following persons were observed sitting in the Luncheonette:

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MALCOLM LITTLE
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM - United States Government

TO: SAC, NEW YORK (105-7809) (#1) DATE: 4/5/57

FROM: SA [redacted] b7C

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (25-330971) DATE: April 4, 1957

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (100-5549)

Subject: NATION OF ISLAM
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (25-330971) Date: 4/3/57

FROM: SAC, DETROIT (100-5549)

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM . UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, WASHINGTON FIELD (100-22829) DATE: 3-18-57

FROM : SAC, CHICAGO (25-20607)

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
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b7D [redacted] advised on March 5, 1957, that a [redacted] had contacted MALCOLM SHABAZZ at the residence of ELIJAH MUHAMMAD concerning an order for Flint, Michigan. [redacted] advised that he does not know who gave him this order and MALCOLM replied that it must have been a [redacted] MALCOLM replied that he does not know how to get in touch with [redacted] except that [redacted] can call his (MALCOLM's) brother-in-law in Detroit at Logan 3-0577. MALCOLM inquired of [redacted] as to how [redacted] had found him and [redacted] replied that he had tried New York and then Chicago. MALCOLM stated that he has been in Florida and will be returning to New York soon.

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FBI

Date: 4/1/58

Transmit the following message via AIR TEL

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FROM: SAC, NEW HAVEN (100-16741)

TO: SAC, NEW YORK (105-8999)

RE: MALCOLM LITTLE, Was.
SM - NOI

Reurairtel, 3/27/57.

NH Agent who observed MALCOLM LITTLE at Hartford, Conn., on 1/24/57 was SA [redacted] b7C

NH Agents who observed MALCOLM LITTLE in Hartford, Conn., on 1/28/57 were SA [redacted] and SA [redacted] b7C

2 New York (RM)
1 New Haven
1 [redacted] MD
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FBI

Date: 4/1/57

Transmit the following message via AIRTEL

(REGISTERED MAIL)

(Priority or Method of Mailing)

To: SAC, NY (105-8999)

From: SAC, PH (100-39918)

MALCOLM LITTLE, was,
SM - NOI

Reurairtel 3/20/57.

The photo of LITTLE forwarded to PH was exhibited to [redacted] by SA [redacted] and to [redacted] by SA [redacted] informants have furnished reliable information in the past.

b7D [redacted] informants identified the individual in the photograph as MALCOLM X, Minister of the New York Temple. [redacted] comment that it was an old picture.

b7D [redacted] a more recent photograph of MALCOLM LITTLE, known to followers of Elijah Muhammad as Brother MALCOLM X, could be found in the magazine "The Supreme Wisdom," page 6. This magazine was sold at the National Convention of the NOI. RVC

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1 - Philadelphia (100-39918)

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TO: SAC, NEW YORK (105-8999)

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (105-449)

MALCOLM LITTLE, was.
SM - NOI

Re NY airtel to Philadelphia 3/20/57.

Photo of above subject was displayed to [redacted] by SA [redacted] and informant [redacted] identified subject as being identical with person known as Minister MALCOM X or MALCOM X.

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2 - New York (105-8999)(RM)
1 - Atlanta (105-449)
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (25-330971) DATE: 3/29/57

FROM: SAC, PITTSBURGH (100-5545)

RE: NATION OF ISLAM,
Formerly Referred to as the
Muslim Cult of Islam, aka.
Muhammad's Temples of Islam
IS - NOI
(OO: Chicago)

67D [redacted]

2 - Bureau (25-330971) (ENCLS - 7) (RM)
5 - Chicago (25-20607) (ENCLS - 4) (RM)
1 - 100-6939 (ELIJAH MUHAMMAD)
1 - [redacted]
1 -
2 - Albany (105-1401) (RM)
1 -
3 - Atlanta (100-4593) (ENCL - 1) (RM)
1 -
67C 67D 2 - Baltimore (100-16471) (RM)
1 -
2 - Boston (97-14[illegible]) (RM)
1 -
1 - Buffalo (105-463) (RM)
2 - Cincinnati (100-7716) (RM)
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4 - Cleveland (100-21569) (RM)
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1 - Dallas (RM)
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2 - Houston (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - Miami (105-544) (RM)
3 - Milwaukee (105-337) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
3 - Minneapolis (100-41003) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
2 - Newark (14-169) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
2 - New Haven (100-15927) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
4 - New York (105-7809) (RM)
1 - [redacted] (Minister MALCOLM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
4 - Philadelphia (25-26094) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - (100-40129) [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
2 - Richmond (100-8374) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
3 - San Diego (25-10099) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
1 - Savannah (100-2447) (RM)
1 - Springfield (RM)
3 - St. Louis (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
4 - WFO (100-22829) (RM)
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
1 - [redacted]
3 - Pittsburgh
1 - [redacted]

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM *** UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO : SAC, (25-20607) DATE: 3/28/57

FROM : SA [redacted] 67C

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
IS - NOI

67D [redacted]

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It was publicly announced through flyers and placards that the Moslem's Annual Convention would be held on February 24, 25, 26, 1957, at the Baptist Tabernacle Church, 4130 South Indiana Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. Convention Headquarters was the "Muhammad Temple of Islam", 5335 South Greenwood Avenue, Chicago 15, Illinois.

[redacted]
1-100-6989 (ELIJAH MUHAMMAD)
2-Atlanta (100-5493) (RM)
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2-Baltimore (100-16471) (RM)
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2-Cincinnati (100-7716) (RM)
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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: SAC, NEW YORK [redacted] 67D DATE: 3/28/57

FROM: SA [redacted] 67C

SUBJECT: [redacted] 67D

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1 - Philadelphi [redacted]
37 - New York

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(1-105-8999) (MALCOLM LITTLE)

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OFFICE MEMORANDUM UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (25-330971) DATE: 3/22/57

FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (25-26094)

SUBJECT: NATION OF ISLAM
IS - NOI

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3 - 100-4593 (NOI)
1 - [redacted]
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7 - Baltimore
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4 - Boston
3 - 97-145 (NOI)
1 - 100- [redacted]
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10 - Chicago
3 - 25-20607 (NOI)
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4 - Cleveland
3 - 100-21569 (NOI)
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